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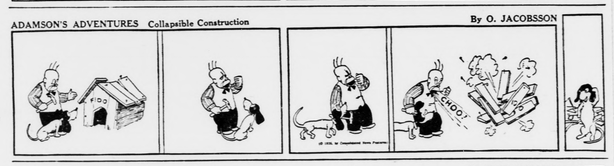


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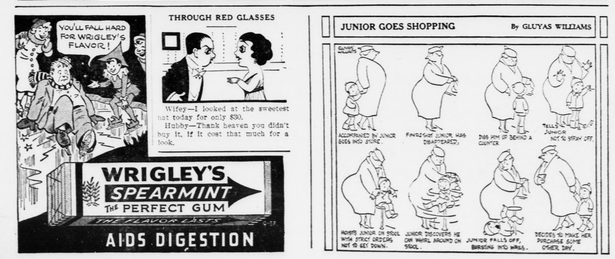


THROUGH RED GLASSES

Wifey—I looked at the sweetest hat today for only $30.

Hubby—Thank heaven you didn't buy it. If it cost that much for a look.

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# SUNDAY SCHOOL Lesson

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## Lesson for January 19

### JESUS PREPARES FOR HIS WORK

LESSON TEXT—Luke 3:21, 22; 4:1-13
GOLDEN TEXT—Thou shalt worship the Lord thy God, and him only shalt thou serve.—Luke 4:8.
PRIMARY TOPIC—When Jesus Grew Up.
JUNIOR TOPIC—When Jesus Was Tempted.
INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC—Making a Right Start for Life.
YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC—Finding God's Way for Life.

The statement of the subject of this lesson is not quite satisfactory. His baptism and temptation were not means of preparation, but were respectively his formal entrance upon his work and the first conflict with the devil, whose works he came to destroy.

**I. Jesus Entering Upon His Mediatorial Work** (Luke 3:21, 22).

1. His baptism (v. 21). In his baptism we see the symbolic act of Jesus dedicating himself to the work of redemption through the cross, or the act of consecration. This was a part of the work of saving the world through his death and resurrection. His baptism did not mean his obedience to the law of God, but his entrance upon the sacrificial work which on the cross of Calvary made a real foundation for full righteousness.

2. His anointing (v. 22). As he thus dedicated himself to the task of bringing in a righteousness, he was anointed with the Holy Spirit.

3. The heavenly recognition (v. 22). This act of devotion to the divine will was attended by the declaration of divine approval, "Thou art my beloved Son; in thee I am well pleased."

**II. Jesus' First Conflict With the Devil** (Luke 4:1-13).

Jesus went from the place of anointing and heavenly recognition as the Son of God to meet and to spoil the arch enemy (Heb. 2:14). Instead of the temptation, therefore, being a preparation for his messianic work, it was a demonstration of the inseparableness of the divine and human natures in the incarnation. It is to be noted that the Holy Spirit, not Satan, led Jesus into the wilderness to be tempted.

1. The place (v. 1). It was in the wilderness of Judea. The first man, Adam, was tempted in a garden, with the most pleasant surroundings. The second man, Jesus Christ, was tempted in a barren wilderness, surrounded by wild beasts (Mark 1:13).

2. The method (vv. 2-12). Christ as the world's Redeemer sustained a threefold relationship: the Son of man, the Messiah, and the Son of God. Therefore, Satan made each one a ground of attack.

a. As Son of man (vv. 2-4). Satan made his first assault upon Jesus as a man by appealing to the instinct of hunger. Satan urged him to use his divine power to convert a stone into bread. Hunger is natural and sinless. Real human life experiences hunger. The appetite of hunger was normal and right. The temptation was to satisfy a right hunger in a wrong way. To have yielded in this case, though his hunger was desperate, would have been to renounce the human limitations which he had taken for our sins. To use divine power to satisfy human needs would have been to fail as Savior and Mediator. To do right in a wrong way is to fail.

b. As Messiah (vv. 5-8). Here the temptation was to grasp his rightful dominion by false means. The devil offered to surrender unto him the world, if he would adopt his method—worship him. The force of this temptation was in the fact that the kingdoms of the world are Christ's by God's covenant with him. God's method by which Jesus was to possess the world was the sacrificial death on the cross. The temptation which Satan is placing upon the church today is to get possession of the world by other means than that of the cross.

c. As Son of God (vv. 9-12). Here Satan tries to induce Christ to presume upon God's care. He quotes a messianic psalm to induce him so to act. To do the spectacular thing in order to get publicity is to fall into Satan's temptation. For Jesus to have placed himself in danger in order to get God's special help in delivering him would have been to sin. To test God as to whether he will keep a promise is the greatest distrust: it is to sin and fall.

d. Christ's defense (vv. 4, 8, 12). It was the Word of God. He met every onslaught of the enemy with "It is written." Our defense is God's Word. May every Sunday School teacher and believer know how to use it.

e. The issue (v. 13). Satan was vanquished. If we but trust God and use his Word, we too can overcome the devil.

### Burdens

Bear your burden manfully. Boys at school, young men who have exchanged boyish liberty for serious business—all who have got a task to do, a work to finish—bear the burden till God gives the signal for repose—till the work is done, and the holiday is fairly earned.

### The Best Way

Choose always the way that seems the best, however rough it may be. Custom will render it easy and agreeable.—Pythagoras.

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## Indians Stage a Rally; Population on In...

The records of the United government show that in 18 were 254,574 Indians on reser In 1901, the number had cre 240,834, but, after that low Indian brought his total po up to 320,434 in 1933.

The total number of Indians United States and Canada 443,363, or more than half t ber estimated to have roam continent before the coming white man.





Generally Sooner

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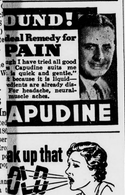
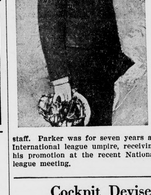


## Plane Rushes Food To Ice-Bound Islanders

COL. ALBANUS PHILLIPS
Cambridge Food Packer, who dispatched a plane to Smith and Tangier Islands to get first-hand information about the condition of the villagers.

Dropping messages from the skies inviting them to "wave white flags if they needed food" or "wave dark flags if they needed medical attention," an airplane of the Phillips Packing Company, Cambridge, Maryland, made the first contact with 1400 ice-bound villagers on Smith and Tangier Islands, in the Lower Chesapeake Bay, after eight days of complete isolation as victims of the most severe freeze in recent years. Theodore Phillips, vice-president of the company, helping Pilot C. H. Rickards load food supplies for marooned communities.

## New Job and Woes Begin Next April



George (Tiny) Parker of Miami, Fla., is the latest addition to President Ford Frick's National league umpiring staff. Parker was for seven years an International league umpire, receiving his promotion at the recent National league meeting.

## Oklahoma Town Is Quarantined

An outbreak of spinal meningitis in Snyder, Okla., necessitated a quarantine that closed up most of the business places as well as the schools. National Guardsmen enforced the regulations.

## Cockpit Devised for Motorcycles

Milady may now have the equivalent of a town car, or airplane cockpit, attached to the side of her motorcycle. This was displayed in London.

## Demerjl Made Premier as Greek King Returns

Constantine Demerjl, appointed as the new premier of Greece with the return to the throne of King George, is shown here just after being appointed to the post. Greece's play-boy king was welcomed back with ovations (and protests) which jarred the ruins of the Parthenon.

## From America, but They May Die in Africa



The spirit of adventure, or perhaps the love of a land they had all but forgotten, motivates the soldiers of the Tiber division of the Italian army. They are soldiers from the United States who are fighting for Il Duce in his war against Ethiopia. They are shown standing at attention during their review by the king and crown prince of Italy.

## Finds Idaho's "Grand Canyon" Spectacular; Hunter's Paradise

### National Geographic Party Explores "River of No Return."

Idaho's "Grand Canyon," deeper than the famous Grand Canyon of the Colorado, has been explored and photographed from end to end by the National Geographic society's Salmon River expedition, according to an announcement from the Washington, D. C., headquarters of the National Geographic society.

"The Salmon river flows through one of the wildest regions in the United States," the announcement continues. "Five hundred miles long, it rises in Redfish lake in central Idaho. After flowing about 25 miles eastward, it veers north, nearly touching the Idaho-Montana boundary. Then, as if preferring to remain in Idaho, it turns westward across the Idaho waistline. Finally the Salmon pours its torrents into the Snake river, about 50 miles south of Lewiston, Idaho.

**First to Record Features.**

"While hunters and tourists have drifted down the Salmon, members of the National Geographic's expedition were the first to negotiate the stream to study the geological formation of the region and to record thoroughly its features by black and white and natural color photography.

"The strong current and frequent rapids in the Salmon make navigation of the river hazardous. Only sturdy scows, built especially for the Salmon and manned by expert boatmen who know every rock and habit of the river, are used to negotiate the treacherous stream. The scows have no power, not even oars. Their 'steering gear' consists of two long rudderlike sweeps, one at either end of the craft.

**"River of No Return."**

"At times the expedition's scows moved downstream at a rate of more than 15 miles an hour. That speed was not particularly dangerous in smooth water, but when there were halfpin turns to make, banks of jagged rocks, and huge midstream boulders to avoid, the barge often had to be checked.

"The Salmon river justly bears the name 'River of No Return.' No one has ever navigated more than short local portions of the river upstream.

"Because of how water early in October, members of the expedition traveled by automobile along the upper reaches of the river to a point about 50 miles below Salmon, Idaho. Here the scows, a dummy, but built for the purpose craft, was boarded.

"For 100 miles below Shoup, Idaho, the expedition found the Salmon River canyon a wild country, inhabited by only a few scattered weather-beaten prospectors.

**Scenery Is Spectacular.**

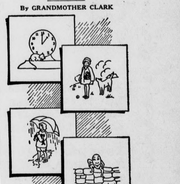
"Spectacular was the scenery viewed from the scow. Several times the river narrowed, flowing between sheer cliffs hundreds of feet high. Often the canyon opened, however, and there were magnificent vistas of jagged, snow-covered granite peaks soaring above narrow plains flecked with myriad sage and wild flowers. Vast national forests of majestic trees flanked most of the course and members of the expedition frequently passed cascading streams, feeders of the Salmon that would challenge the brush of famous painters of Nature's beauty.

"In some places the Salmon spread out as wide as 150 yards and navigation was comparatively easy. Then, suddenly, it became a narrow cascade. In one place the river dropped 17 feet in 50.

"On the rocks in one portion of the canyon the explorers discovered Indian paintings of men and animals which may be of pre-Columbian origin. They also found several hot springs within a stone's throw of the river. One spring was so close to the Salmon that a member of the expedition stepped into it and then dived into the river. The spring water at 137 degrees Fahrenheit was too hot to stand in, and the river water at 32 degrees Fahrenheit was too cold for comfort. The Salmon canyon is an almost untouched sportsmen's paradise. The river teems with fish, and along the hillsides mountain goats, deer, and grouse are abundant."

## Quilt of Blocks That Picture Nursery Rhymes

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



Quilts made of blocks that picture the nursery tales that every child knows will interest both old and young. Always a good subject for a mother to work on, at bed time, with her child.

Outfit No. 40-1 consists of four 9-inch blocks stamped on a good quality bleached quilting material and will be mailed to you for 10 cents. The embroidery work is in the outline stitch. Use any color thread. Address Home Craft Co., Dept. A—Nineteenth and St. Louis Ave., St. Louis, Mo. Inclose a stamped addressed envelope for reply when writing for any information.

### Knitting Fad in Prehistoric Arctic Circle Settlement

Prehistoric knitting needles, fivetech combs and spoons of mammoth bone have been found in an ancient settlement near Obdorsk, northern Siberia, by an expedition sent out by the Institute of Anthropology and Ethnography of the Academy of Science of the U. S. S. R. It has excavated 12,000 articles of pottery and bone, some of which are unique.

Besides knitting needles, combs and spoons, they include miniature hoes for tilling fields, pieces of melting pots for metal, and bones of animals and birds which no longer inhabit the Yamal peninsula on which Obdorsk stands. The numerous remains found shows that the peninsula, which is within the Arctic circle, was one densely populated.

### Biggest Girl

Weighing 322 pounds, fifteen-year-old Slunka Angielova of Svabenia, Bulgaria, claims to be the biggest girl in the world.

### Now You See It, Now You Don't; and Then Chief Does

A San Francisco lunch stand proprietor counted his money—$19 short. He counted it again—O. K. He repeated the process and called Police Captain Thomas R. Foster.

"You count it," he said. "I'm going crazy."

Foster counted the money—O. K. He counted it again—$19 short. Then he found a bill, $20 on one side, $1 on the other.

### Week Varies From 3 to 8 Days Throughout the World

The length of a week varies in different parts of the world from three to eight days. The seven-day week is, of course, the most widely employed.

But the five-day week is not unpopular as it is used today in both China and Russia, whose combined population of 640,000,000 represents nearly one-third of all the people in the world.—Collier's.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